Awards for 2011-2012

NASA HONORS & PEER AWARD

EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL - **Dr. John D. Lekki** – Received the Exceptional Achievement Medal (EAM) "for outstanding innovations in optical communications & in hyperspectral imaging benefiting NASA, the Department of Defense, the National Oceanic, and Atmospheric Administration."

NASA GROUP ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

- GRC NRL MISSE7 Spaceflight Active Experiments "For the development, deployment on the ISS, and successful operation of the open architecture communications interface system used by industry, NRL, & NASA active experiments", received by Lawrence C. Greer, Michael J. Krasowski, Norman F. Prokop, Joseph M. Flatico, and Dan C. Spina.
- Large-Scale Low-Boom Inlet Model and Test Team: "For the outstanding team effort in the successful completion of the 8x6-ft Supersonic Wind Tunnel testing of a Large-scale Low-boom supersonic inlet", received by **Timothy J. Bencic** and **Mark R. Woike**.
- Open Rotor Low Speed Wind Tunnel Test Team: "For planning and superb technical execution of a seminal wind tunnel test campaign for assessing modern open rotor propulsion designs", received by Timothy J. Bencic, Dr. Mark P. Wernet, Garrett G. Clayo, and Randy J. Locke.

GRC GROUP ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

"Particulate Aerosol Laboratory (PAL) in the SE10/11 test cells of the Engine Research Building (ERB)", received by **Timothy J. Bencic** and **James R. Bodis.**

GRC CLERICAL AWARD - Ms. Beverly Smigel, SGT, Inc.

GRC SAFETY AWARD – Received by **Timothy J. Bencic** for being R&T representative on the Center Safety & the Pressure Vessel committees

NASA ARMD AA GROUP AWARD FOR LEADERSHIP AND EXCELLECE -

Mark R. Woike and the NFMTC Team

MARS Team, TacSat-4 Instrument Launched 09/2011

Selected/invited SPIE lecturer program: - Dr. Ali Abdul-Aziz, May 17, 2011.

Selected/invited ASM Int. & Indian Institute of Metals (IIM) Visiting Lecturer Program: June 2011 - Andrew L. Gyekenyesi

PATENTS & TECH BRIEF AWARDS

- US Patent# 7,933,027 B1, "Processing Waveform-Based NDE," received by: Dr. Donald J. Roth, April 26, 2011.
- **US Patent# 8,159,238**, "Method and apparatus for in-situ health monitoring of solar cells in space," received by **Michael J. Krasowski** and **Norman F. Prokop**, April 2012.

• LEW 18631-1: "Circuit for Communication over Power Lines." POC: Michael J. Krasowski, Lawrence C. Greer, and Norman F. Prokop, July 2011

TECH BRIEFS PUBLISHED

- LEW-18673-1: "Teleoperated Marsupial Mobile Sensor Platform Pair for Telepresence Insertion into Challenging Structures." POC: Michael J. Krasowski, Norman F. Prokop, & Lawrence C. Greer, July 2011
- **LEW-18614-1:** "High Temperature Thermometer Using Cr-Doped Gd AlO3 Broadband Luminescence." **Dr. Jeffrey I. Eldridge,** May 2011
- LEW-18758-1: "Integrating Multiple Data-Driven Anomaly Detection Techniques with Real Test Data from a Spinning Turbine Engine Like Rotor," NASA's Tech Briefs Magazine. POC: Dr. Ali Abdul-Aziz, May 2011.
- **LEW 18761:** "Surface Temperature Measurement Using Hematite Coating." POC: **Timothy J. Bencic,** October 2011

SPACE ACT AWARDS

- LEW-18631-1: NTR Title: Circuit for Communication over Power Lines," August 31, 2011. POC: Michael J. Krasowski and Lawrence C. Greer
- LEW-18586-1: "Shock Sensing System and Method." POC: Dr. Grigory Adamovsky and Roger Tokars